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(viii) The nature, amount, and assured sources of information to be disseminated justify the format, production, specifications, and frequency of issue.

(ix) Adequate resources are available to produce the periodical.

Current or estimated costs are consistent with the periodical's objectives.

(x) The periodical has current applicability and is consonant with existing law and DoD policies.

(2) All personnel responsible for publishing DoD periodicals shall comply with the provisions of the current edition of the Government Printing and Binding Regulations¹ and OMB Circular No. A-3.²

(3) DoD periodicals shall not carry partisan political campaign articles, editorials, or advertisement.

(4) No appropriated or non-appropriated funds may be used to defray publishing costs of a non-DoD periodical published by a private firm, corporation, individual, or organization.

(5) DoD personnel may not be assigned to serve on the editorial, production, or business staffs of a non-DoD periodical that is published by a private firm, corporation, individual, or organization.

(6) Editors of DoD periodicals will conform to applicable regulations, laws involving libel and copyright, and postal regulations.

(7) Dissemination of DoD statistical information in any periodical shall comply with the provisions of DoD Directive 5000.20.³

(b) *Elimination of duplication.* (1) To eliminate duplication, periodicals dealing with common subject areas shall be published along DoD-wide functional lines, rather than individual Component lines.

¹Copies available from Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402.

²Copies available from the Office of Management and Budget (Publications) New Executive Office building, 726 Jackson Place NW., Washington, DC 20503.

³Filed as part of original. Copies may be obtained, if needed, from the U.S. Naval Publications and Forms Center, 5801 Tabor Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa. 19120. Attention: Code 301.

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(2) No DoD Component shall be required to contribute to a consolidated common-use periodical more of its resources than it expends in publishing a related single-Component periodical.

§ 248.5 Authorities and responsibilities.

(a) *The Assistant Secretary of Defense (Public Affairs)* shall:

(1) Establish, and ensure compliance with, supplemental policies, standards, and controls governing the publication of DoD periodicals.

(2) Evaluate the effectiveness of DoD Component policies, standards, and controls that relate to DoD periodicals, and effect such changes as may be warranted.

(3) Institute programs, in conjunction with the DoD Components, for the purpose of increasing the proficiency of editorial personnel in editorial writing, periodical production, management, and cost effectiveness.

(4) Establish a research resource to:

(i) Provide professional guidance to DoD Components in the conduct of mass communications research.

(ii) Evaluate completed research.

(iii) Coordinate periodical research within the DoD Components.

(5) In coordination with the DoD Components concerned, examine the apparent duplication of periodicals and direct the elimination of those found to be duplicative or of marginal value. (See § 248.4(b).)

(b) *The Head of each DoD Component* shall designate an office to monitor the Component's internal periodicals, and:

(1) Conduct a coordinated review of its standards for publication, distribution, evaluation, review and approval;

(2) Maintain a current inventory of its periodicals; and

(3) Submit such reports as may be required by the ASD(PA).

§ 248.6 Funding.

DoD periodicals will be financed within available appropriated or non-appropriated funds and will be produced as economically as possible, consistent with the need for efficient communication (See DoD Instruction 7041.3.⁴) Funding will be in accordance

⁴See footnote 1 to § 248.4(a)(2).

with established management practices of the DoD Component concerned.

PART 249—PRESENTATION OF DoD-RELATED SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL PAPERS AT MEETINGS

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§ 249.1 Purpose.

This part amplifies policy set forth in DoD Directive 3200.12,¹ assigns responsibilities, prescribes procedures, and provides guidance for consideration of national security concerns in the dissemination of scientific and technical information in the possession or under the control of the Department of Defense at conferences and meetings. It supports current policies regarding classified meetings and requirements for review of scientific and technical papers; provides guidance for reviewing and presenting papers containing export-controlled DoD technical data; establishes procedures for containing DoD advice on independently-produced scientific and technical papers; and provides criteria for identifying fundamental research activities performed under contract or grant that are excluded from review requirements.

§ 249.2 Applicability and scope.

This part applies to the Office of the Secretary of Defense (OSD) DoD Field Activities, the Military Departments, the Organization of the Joint Chiefs of Staff (OJCS), the Defense Agencies, and the Unified and Specified Commands (hereafter referred to collectively as "DoD Components").

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§ 249.3 Definitions.

Contracted fundamental research. Includes grants and contracts that are (a) funded by budget Category 6.1 ("Research"), whether performed by universities or industry or (b) funded by budget Category 6.2 ("Exploratory Development") and performed on-campus at a university. The research shall not be considered fundamental in those rare and exceptional circumstances where the 6.2-funded effort presents a high likelihood of disclosing performance characteristics of military systems or manufacturing technologies that are unique and critical to defense, and where agreement on restrictions have been recorded in the contract or grant.

DoD personnel. All civilian officers and employees, including special Government employees, of all DoD Components, and all active duty officers (commissioned and warrant) and enlisted members of the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps.

§ 249.4 Policy.

It is DoD policy to:

(a) Encourage the presentation of scientific and technical information generated by or for the Department of Defense at technical meetings consistent with United States laws and the requirements of national security.

(b) Permit DoD Components to conduct scientific and technical conferences, and to permit DoD Component personnel to attend and participate in scientific and technical conferences that are of demonstrable value to the Department of Defense, and consult with professional societies and associations in organizing meetings of the societies and associations that are mutually beneficial.

(c) Allow the publication and public presentation of unclassified contracted fundamental research results. The mechanism for control of information generated by DoD-funded contracted fundamental research in science, technology, and engineering performed under contract or grant at colleges, universities, and non-government laboratories is security classification. No other type of control is authorized unless required by law.

(d) Release information at meetings in a manner consistent with statutory